

Vermont Daily Transcript.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14, 1868.

Impachment.

The adjournment of the Senate until Saturday, on account of the sickness of Senator Howard, gives a further chance for the veracious Washington correspondents to manufacture sensational messages for a few days longer, to excite the people, and give the people a longer probation for excitement. For ourselves, we have placed little reliance upon the dicta of newspaper correspondents at the capitol, where the centre of excitement is. We have judged of the pending trial from the beginning in the light of a very few facts, and amid all the rumors about this and that Senator, by this and that writer, have judged of the probabilities of the result in the light of those facts. It has seemed to us, and does still, that the Senate was virtually committed to conviction as the result of impeachment, from the beginning, and this not in any way compromising to themselves as men or officers, but as the necessary sequence of their official action upon the President's message announcing, first, his reasons for the suspension of Stanton, and second, the removal of Stanton and the appointment of Thomas. The Senate deliberately, and as much under oath as they are now, declared those acts of the President unlawful and against the constitution. They did this, of course, influenced by evidence, although that evidence was not brought to their notice under the forms which obtain in courts. To acquit the President now, after repeated action, under oath, against him on the same matter contained in the charges considered in the trial, would be to stultify themselves as no body of respectable and grave men ever yet did. Even on the President's own admissions, which are no more in fact than the admissions of the messages on which the Senate twice acted, and by the decision of the Senate when considering those messages, he has willfully broken a law, assuming that law to be unconstitutional. No verdict of not guilty can wash that from the record, or from the minds of the people. The trial has been only the formality demanded by the constitution. If, during that formality the Senate has learned that all its actions before, under oath to do their duty, were only tricks of politics, or very serious mistakes, and not grave proceedings of statesmen, then there is hope for the escape of the President, but no hope for his acquittal—especially those who have passed adversely upon his action in the case of the War Department. If the verdict shall be in favor of the President, then it will be a verdict against the Senate, so peculiar are the circumstances of this case. If he is acquitted, it will have been the Senate which was tried and convicted. In the light of the messages and admissions of the President, and the deliberate action of the Senate, going before the trial where these things were only again, and more clearly brought out, we have felt and still feel that if there is any logic in events the President must be convicted.

Items from Washington.

Col. Forney has resigned his commission as Secretary of the Senate, his resignation to take effect on the appointment of his successor. His reason is a desire to take an active part in the coming campaign.

One of the President's staff, it is stated, has made preparations to leave the city by sub-renting his rooms with the understanding that he will relinquish possession next week.

Mr. Chase is bitterly denounced by the impeachers as a man who prefers to ruin the Republican party rather than to see another its Presidential candidate.

There is much talk about the formation of a new political party, with a platform acceptable to the Democrats, which will have the Chief Justice as its Presidential candidate.

The Boston Journal's correspondent says:

Mr. Wade has labored under the disadvantage, during the trial, of having had here a crowd of pretended friends, who have assumed to speak for him, but who really have only been beggars for office at his hands. Their foolish speeches and rash harangues have been retailed as the authorized announcements of the senior Senator from Ohio, and they have, doubtless, retarded action, while, among his Senatorial colleagues the spirit of political jealousy has assumed as many shapes as ever Proteus did.

The President makes good promise for the future if the Senate acquits him. One of his friends asserts that Fessenden and Trumbull will have nothing to fear, should he be acquitted, from his natural propensities to "cussedness."

It is understood that Secretary McCulloch opposes Mr. Schenck's revenue bill creating a separate department of internal revenue on the ground that the supervision which the treasury department may exercise over the revenue bureau and the scrutiny which its administration must undergo from persons not under the control of the commissioner constitute one of the most necessary checks upon the management of so important a bureau.

The health of Senator Howard is said to be improving, and he will probably be able to take his seat in the Senate on Saturday.

It is reported that Stanton will resign if the President is acquitted.

Various Sayings.

The London Court Journal says that it is rumored in military circles that the system of purchasing military commissions in the British army will be abolished before long, and that promotions up to and including the rank of Captain will be by gradation; but that the field officers will be chosen by the Commander-in-Chief according to their merits. The Duke of Cambridge is at the present time the head of the army. The Journal proposes another reform: a reduction of expenditure for officers' dress and messes, as the service is very expensive in these respects.

Bayard Taylor, in a recent letter from Florence, says: "I have been greatly delighted with my visits to the studios of the American artists. So much more is being accomplished than ten years ago, and most of it is so excellent that I feel sure that our American era of art has already dawned."

Mr. Anthony Trollope is described by a reporter, who saw him at the impeachment trial, as bald, with heavy and reddish side whiskers. He wears spectacles with perfectly round glasses, weighs at least two hundred pounds, and has the general appearance of a heavy business man of considerable intelligence. Mr. Trollope is now in Washington to aid in carrying out a new postal arrangement between the United States and England, we believe.

H. T. Tuckerman, in the preface to his last published work "The Certerion," says: "It was one of the conclusions arrived at by Adelung that the same language could not maintain itself beyond the limit of a hundred and fifty thousand square miles; but by means of books the limits of the world alone are the limits within which language and the enjoyment of it, can be confined. Letters waft a sigh from Indus to the Pole, and printed volumes carry thoughts that breathe and words that burn over the great oceans, from one quarter of the world to another."

The Pall Mall Gazette says that "a wise man who sits in silent self-sufficiency, listening to and criticising the idle chat of a mixed company, has no business there. Let him keep to himself, or if he does join the common herd let him remember that to cultivate kindness is a valuable part of the business of life."

The Tribune says the Rev. John Henry Hopkins, Jr., because of failing eyesight is to vacate the editorial chair of The Church Journal, which he has occupied for 16 years, at the close of the present month. Mr. Hopkins, in connection with this announcement, remarks, that his father (Bishop Hopkins, who died last winter) left two treatises in manuscript, which will be soon given to the public, and says: "One of these works will prove to be of peculiar interest, for he wrote it as a 'Retraction' of an opinion which he found he had expressed in one of his previous works—that there is good ground for regarding the Pope to be the Anti-Christ. In reviewing his books for final correction, with a view to a new and uniform edition, he felt that a mere alteration of the text in a matter of so much importance was not a sufficient tribute to the truth; and his error, showing that he was misled by high authorities without sufficient examination on his own part, and going on to demonstrate that the common Protestant notion cannot be correct. No nobler proof could be given of his fearless and conscientious honesty of character, than such a close to such a career as his."

BRICK POMEROY'S PAPER.—The La Crosse Democrat, edited by the notorious Brick Pomeroey, has a larger circulation than any other Democratic paper printed in the country. A branch office has recently been opened in New York "in response to a general desire of Eastern Democrats," which goes to show that the paper, notwithstanding what may be said to the contrary by more moderate democrats, is fast becoming the "organ" of the party. In Worcester, Mass., two hundred and fifty copies are taken; in fact large numbers are taken in the principal cities of the Union. Mr. Flanders of Malone, N. Y., who recently became an assistant editor receives, we are informed, a salary of \$4,000.

Personal.

Lord Brougham, it is said, never knew exactly how old he was, having forgotten to ask an older sister before she died, who was the only person that knew the exact date; but he believed himself to have been born in 1779.

The N. Y. Tribune says that the Virginia Republican Convention on the 7th inst., nominated A. M. Crane, for Congress at-large. This is none other than A. M. Crane, proprietor of the Winchester (Va.) Journal, who is from Glover, Vt.

E. S. Hall, of Worcester, Vt., is one of the speakers at the freshmen prize declamation of the Amherst College Athenian Society, on the 27th of May.

RAIN.—There has been but little rain this spring, compared with the amount which fell up to the same time last spring; but yet a sufficient quantity to give vegetation a handsome start, and keep lively the hopes of our farmers.

[For the Transcript.] Obituary.

The brief paragraph, in the customary obituary column, which, some weeks ago, announced the death of Mrs. Deborah Sherman Keyes, of Highgate, at the age of 63 years,—was to many readers suggestive of thoughts and recollections which, if transcribed on paper, would have swelled into an extended and affectionate eulogy. It was the valued privilege of the writer of this notice to be, for many years, a neighbor and friend of the estimable family of the deceased; and he esteems it a further privilege, though indeed a sad one, to speak of her extraordinary virtues and singularly beautiful character, as exemplified in every relation of life.

Endowed by nature and culture with superior intellectual gifts, she possessed an attractive person and a presence at once pleasing and commanding. Gentle and genial in her manner, refined yet cordial in conversation, brave and self-contained in every trying vicissitude—few women were ever more tenderly beloved or more profoundly respected. Family cares, to which she gave her life with an almost excessive devotion, left her few hours for the pleasures of Society. Adorned with graces that would have embellished a Court, she gave up all to the near and dear ones of whom she was like the ornament and the upholder. Her house was the seat of a hospitality which many will remember as equally cordial, elegant and unostentatious. In all the relations of home-life,—as wife, mother, friend, it is scarcely an exaggeration to say she was without fault. No one was oftener mentioned as an example worthy of emulation. Of those who knew her, no father had a higher aspiration for his daughter than that she might resemble "Debby Keyes"; no mother a happier wish for her son than that he might have a wife endowed with similar virtues. It is only fitting and yet almost superfluous to add—that Mrs. Keyes was a conscientious and self-denying Christian, whose practical benevolence to all around her afforded the highest evidence of the sincerity with which followed the Master. Seldom in the history of memorable women have the words of Solomon found a fitter application: "Many daughters have done virtuously, but thou excellest them all." J. G. S.

CLARK VS. BURTON.—As we go to press Hon. E. R. Hard is making the closing argument in this case, which he commenced about 4 o'clock. Mr. Royce, who commenced yesterday, finished his argument for the defense at nearly 4 o'clock. We hear the arguments thus far spoken of as being the ablest ever made by the various gentlemen in any case before a court here. Mr. Hard will probably conclude to-morrow, and the cause submitted to the jury.

CONNECTICUT RIVER MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.—The annual meeting of this association was held at the Bellows Falls Hotel on Wednesday and Thursday of last week. On Wednesday the following officers were chosen for the year ensuing.

President—H. D. Holton, Brattleboro. Vice President—George B. Twitchell, Keene, N. H. Recording Secretary—F. Whitman, Bellows Falls. Corresponding Secretary—A. B. Crosby, Hanover, N. H.

WOODSTOCK RAILROAD.—The Rutland Courier of Friday, contains the following relative to the survey of the Woodstock Railroad:

Chief Engineer Randall informs us that the surveying party now en route for Woodstock have passed the summit and are now descending the eastern slope of the mountain. They expect to reach Sherburne to-morrow (Saturday) and that the grades and curves are very favorable.

"The sweetest thing in life" is good health and good spirits, and if you have them not, the next best thing is what will restore bloom to the faded cheek and happiness to the drooping heart. The great and sure remedy is Plantation Bitters, which our physicians recommend to both male and female patients, as a safe, reliable, agreeable and cordial stimulant. They contain nothing to disagree with the most delicate constitution, and have won golden opinions from all who have tried them; and probably no article was ever tried by so many persons. They elevate the depressed and give strength to the weak.

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Every family in town should keep a bottle of Renne's Pain-Killing Magic Oil in the house. Directions for use will be found on each bottle.

Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry and Grace's celebrated Salve have stood the test of long experience, and have come into general use. These articles are no quack nostrums, but genuine preparations, skillfully compounded, and well adapted to the class of diseases for which they are recommended. Seth W. Fowle & Son, Boston, Mass., are the proprietors.

Its good effects are permanent. In this it differs from all hair dyes. By its use luxuriant growth is guaranteed, natural color and gloss are restored. One trial will cause you to say this of Mrs. S. A. Allen's Improved (new bottle) Hair Restorer or Dressing, (in one bottle). Every Druggist sells it. Price one dollar. 214-4w.

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Large and small. These additions to the stock previously on hand enables the subscriber to offer for sale a large variety of goods as can be found elsewhere in Franklin County. The entire stock is new, has been bought cheap for cash, many articles at a large discount from former prices, and will be sold at a small advance. Thankful for the liberal patronage bestowed thus far, a continuation is desired. J. H. BAKER.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS.—The following described property was seized by officers of the Customs for the violation of the Revenue Laws of the United States:

At Franklin, March 10, 1868, 1 brown Horse, 1 Sleigh, 1 Robe, 4 Albums, At Swanton May 11, 1 Case, 100 lbs. Oil of Cloves, At Highgate, April 2, 1 Value, 12 bottles of Wine, At Highgate, April 29, 1 sack Salt, At St. Albans, March 4, 2 kegs Whiskey, 2 bbls. Oatmeal, 1 bbl. 145 lbs. Nutmegs, April 5th, 750 Cigars, May 6th, 25 doz. Kid Gloves, 1 Value, 1 Sack of Clothes, 5 Shirts and Drawers, 12 yds. Poplin, lot of Hdkfs Cuffs and Collars.

Any person or persons claiming the above described property are hereby notified to appear within twenty days from the date hereof, and file with the Collector of the Customs, for the District of Vermont, a claim, stating his or their interest in the property so seized, also to execute a bond to the United States, conditioned that in case of the condemnation of the property so seized the obligors will pay all the costs and expenses of the proceedings to obtain condemnation. Otherwise I shall proceed to advertise and sell said property according to law in such cases made and provided.

GEO. J. STANNARD, Collector of Customs, Custom House, District of Vermont, Burlington, 13th May, 1868. [216-3w]

NOTICE OF SEIZURE AND SALE.

The following described property was seized by Officers of the Customs for violation of the Revenue Laws of the United States, viz:

At Highgate, May 12, 1868, 1 saddle Horse, 1 Brown Horse, 1 double Wagon, 2 Harnesses, &c. Said property will be sold at public auction at the Custom House in Highgate, on Saturday the 23rd inst., at 11 o'clock, a.m.

GEO. J. STANNARD, Collector of Customs, Custom House, District of Vermont, Burlington, 13th May, 1868. 216-1w

REMOVED.

THE Subscriber has removed his stock of goods to Barnes Block, Lake Street, opposite the St. Albans Foundry, and will continue business there until the completion of his new Store on Main Street. VICTOR ATWOOD.

STAYED.—Came into the inclosure about the last of March, one coarse wool sheep, one or two years old. The owner is requested to pay charges and take it away. J. B. WEBSTER.

Fairfield, April 11th, 1868. 216-3w

FOR SALE.

AS I have disposed of my interest in the firm of Leonard, Brainerd & Co., I offer for sale my residence on North Main Street, Saint Albans Village. House very comfortable and in good repair. Newly shingled and new chimney. Contains a large number of rooms. Six acres of land, all in good cultivation, and crops planted; very excellent fruit in great abundance, and every other requisite for making a pleasant home. Apply to J. H. LEONARD.

216-2w

The American Cooking Stove in Court.

At an adjourned term of the Circuit Court of the United States, for the Northern District of New York, in the second circuit, held at the City Hall, in the city of Albany, the 28th day of January, in the year of our Lord 1868.

PRESENT: The Hon. NATHAN K. HALL, Judge, JACOB H. SISK and JOSEPH PACKARD, Jr., Esqs. In Equity

GEO. B. BELL & JOHN M. ROCKWELL, vs. It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed, that a perpetual injunction be issued in this suit against the defendants, restraining them from further infringements of said Patent, No. 51,406, Dated Dec. 5th, 1865, for improvements in cooking stoves, pursuant to and in accordance with the prayer of the Bill of Complaint.

Signed A. A. BOYCE, Clerk. The above was instituted for infringement of the Patent securing the manner of fitting the ash pan in the hearth of the American Cooking Stove, and for the combination of the balled ash pan. We have repeatedly cautioned the public against the use of stoves with these improvements not manufactured by us. All persons now selling or using stoves with these improvements in violation of the above injunction, without license from us, will be liable to fine and imprisonment. SHEAK, PACKARD & CO., 205-9m, Albany, N. Y.

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The improvement is not in material, but in the construction, which secures the atmospheric pressure on the entire plate.

I have sold the exclusive of said improvement to Dr. L. Gilman, of the County of Franklin, Washington, Chittenden, Lamoille and Grand Isle. Those wishing to avail themselves of such improvement, will call on

DR. L. GILMAN, VERMONT.

ST. ALBANS. N. T. FOLSOM.

November, 11, 1867. 191-4f

AGENT WANTED.

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St. Albans, April 20th, 1868. 213-6w

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St. Albans, May 12. 14-4f

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